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KENTUCKY LABOR FORCE ESTIMATES  
FEBRUARY 2006  
AREA DEVELOPMENT DISTRICTS

BMK 05

U.S. Comparable Rate - 5.1%

COUNTY	CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	EMPLOYMENT	UNEMPLOYMENT	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE		
				Feb 06	Jan 06	Feb 05
Statewide	1,995,520	1,852,244	143,276	7.2%	6.9%	6.8%
PURCHASE	89,758	82,800	6,958	7.8%	7.5%	8.1%
BALLARD	4,183	3,840	343	8.2%	8.2%	8.7%
CALLOWAY	17,293	16,092	1,201	6.9%	6.3%	6.3%
CARLISLE	2,288	2,103	185	8.1%	7.9%	9.7%
FULTON	2,963	2,671	292	9.9%	9.0%	8.0%
GRAVES	15,702	14,266	1,436	9.1%	9.0%	11.8%
HICKMAN	2,001	1,819	182	9.1%	7.7%	10.1%
MCCRACKEN	31,052	28,907	2,145	6.9%	6.9%	6.7%
MARSHALL	14,276	13,102	1,174	8.2%	8.2%	8.0%
PENNYRILE	93,545	85,906	7,639	8.2%	8.0%	7.4%
CALDWELL	6,246	5,813	433	6.9%	6.6%	7.2%
CHRISTIAN	27,831	25,678	2,153	7.7%	7.8%	7.1%
CRITTENDEN	4,044	3,723	321	7.9%	7.6%	7.4%
HOPKINS	22,643	21,054	1,589	7.0%	6.5%	6.8%
LIVINGSTON	4,896	4,482	414	8.5%	8.5%	7.6%
LYON	3,095	2,798	297	9.6%	9.3%	9.7%
MUHLENBERG	12,599	11,323	1,276	10.1%	9.8%	9.5%
TODD	5,477	4,823	654	11.9%	12.4%	6.3%
TRIGG	6,714	6,212	502	7.5%	7.3%	6.6%
GREEN RIVER	103,713	96,229	7,484	7.2%	6.9%	6.7%
DAVIESS	46,504	43,168	3,336	7.2%	6.9%	6.8%
HANCOCK	4,174	3,803	371	8.9%	7.5%	8.0%
HENDERSON	23,120	21,635	1,485	6.4%	6.5%	6.2%
MCLEAN	4,726	4,307	419	8.9%	8.5%	8.2%
OHIO	11,382	10,430	952	8.4%	7.9%	7.6%
UNION	7,110	6,626	484	6.8%	6.6%	6.2%
WEBSTER	6,697	6,260	437	6.5%	6.1%	5.4%
BARREN RIVER	134,022	124,421	9,601	7.2%	6.6%	6.4%
ALLEN	8,611	7,912	699	8.1%	7.9%	8.1%
BARREN	19,267	17,854	1,413	7.3%	7.0%	6.2%
BUTLER	5,760	5,234	526	9.1%	8.5%	8.3%
EDMONSON	5,696	5,117	579	10.2%	9.9%	8.5%
HART	7,821	7,163	658	8.4%	8.1%	7.9%
LOGAN	12,114	11,151	963	7.9%	7.3%	7.1%
METCALFE	4,470	4,167	303	6.8%	6.6%	6.2%
MONROE	5,036	4,604	432	8.6%	7.6%	8.1%
SIMPSON	8,823	8,192	631	7.2%	6.3%	5.8%
WARREN	56,424	53,027	3,397	6.0%	5.3%	5.5%



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LINCOLN TRAIL	120,080	110,679	9,401	7.8%	7.5%	7.7%
BRECKINRIDGE	8,962	8,128	834	9.3%	9.2%	9.1%
GRAYSON	11,438	10,203	1,235	10.8%	10.9%	10.2%
HARDIN	46,085	42,875	3,210	7.0%	6.5%	6.3%
LARUE	6,866	6,313	553	8.1%	6.9%	13.1%
MARION	9,145	8,488	657	7.2%	6.7%	6.6%
MEADE	12,156	11,186	970	8.0%	7.8%	8.6%
NELSON	20,372	18,826	1,546	7.6%	7.3%	7.4%
WASHINGTON	5,056	4,660	396	7.8%	7.2%	6.6%
KIPDA	453,280	422,553	30,727	6.8%	6.7%	6.5%
BULLITT	35,074	32,694	2,380	6.8%	6.8%	6.5%
HENRY	7,876	7,338	538	6.8%	6.8%	7.1%
JEFFERSON	353,075	328,636	24,439	6.9%	6.8%	6.6%
OLDHAM	25,516	24,134	1,382	5.4%	5.3%	5.0%
SHELBY	19,528	18,400	1,128	5.8%	6.3%	5.0%
SPENCER	7,797	7,289	508	6.5%	6.6%	5.9%
TRIMBLE	4,414	4,062	352	8.0%	7.7%	7.4%
NORTHERN KENTUCKY	223,991	209,702	14,289	6.4%	6.4%	6.0%
BOONE	57,721	54,332	3,389	5.9%	6.0%	5.2%
CAMPBELL	46,457	43,434	3,023	6.5%	6.4%	6.3%
CARROLL	5,711	5,310	401	7.0%	7.7%	6.8%
GALLATIN	3,999	3,738	261	6.5%	6.3%	7.7%
GRANT	12,664	11,749	915	7.2%	7.6%	6.5%
KENTON	84,690	79,305	5,385	6.4%	6.4%	5.9%
OWEN	5,121	4,767	354	6.9%	6.9%	6.9%
PENDLETON	7,628	7,067	561	7.4%	7.4%	7.3%
BUFFALO TRACE	26,043	23,940	2,103	8.1%	7.9%	8.7%
BRACKEN	4,462	4,156	306	6.9%	7.3%	8.7%
FLEMING	6,544	6,039	505	7.7%	7.3%	7.2%
LEWIS	5,558	4,908	650	11.7%	11.3%	12.2%
MASON	8,452	7,887	565	6.7%	6.4%	7.5%
ROBERTSON	1,027	950	77	7.5%	7.4%	9.2%
GATEWAY	36,280	32,947	3,333	9.2%	8.9%	8.7%
BATH	5,089	4,517	572	11.2%	11.0%	9.3%
MENIFEE	2,693	2,346	347	12.9%	13.2%	10.6%
MONTGOMERY	11,444	10,499	945	8.3%	7.8%	9.1%
MORGAN	5,019	4,399	620	12.4%	11.9%	11.9%
ROWAN	12,035	11,186	849	7.1%	6.6%	6.3%

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FIVCO	63,206	58,040	5,166	8.2%	7.7%	8.0%
BOYD	23,281	21,690	1,591	6.8%	6.4%	6.9%
CARTER	13,646	12,241	1,405	10.3%	9.7%	9.2%
ELLIOTT	3,029	2,705	324	10.7%	9.8%	12.4%
GREENUP	17,384	16,141	1,243	7.2%	6.9%	7.5%
LAWRENCE	5,866	5,263	603	10.3%	9.3%	9.2%
BIG SANDY	57,485	52,643	4,842	8.4%	7.9%	8.6%
FLOYD	14,966	13,725	1,241	8.3%	7.8%	8.4%
JOHNSON	9,583	8,795	788	8.2%	7.7%	8.0%
MAGOFFIN	4,463	3,883	580	13.0%	12.6%	14.2%
MARTIN	3,696	3,324	372	10.1%	8.8%	9.7%
PIKE	24,777	22,916	1,861	7.5%	7.1%	7.6%
KENTUCKY RIVER	42,623	38,615	4,008	9.4%	9.0%	8.9%
BREATHITT	5,517	4,987	530	9.6%	9.1%	8.9%
KNOTT	6,706	6,137	569	8.5%	8.2%	7.9%
LEE	2,659	2,413	246	9.3%	9.1%	9.6%
LESLIE	3,618	3,220	398	11.0%	9.8%	9.4%
LETCHER	9,026	8,189	837	9.3%	9.0%	8.4%
OWSLEY	1,547	1,385	162	10.5%	10.2%	9.5%
PERRY	11,224	10,240	984	8.8%	8.2%	8.5%
WOLFE	2,326	2,044	282	12.1%	12.5%	12.7%
CUMBERLAND VALLEY	92,665	84,338	8,327	9.0%	8.2%	7.8%
BELL	9,447	8,478	969	10.3%	9.6%	9.0%
CLAY	7,373	6,491	882	12.0%	10.4%	9.5%
HARLAN	10,062	9,052	1,010	10.0%	9.6%	9.1%
JACKSON	4,796	4,187	609	12.7%	9.7%	9.8%
KNOX	12,028	11,013	1,015	8.4%	8.1%	7.6%
LAUREL	25,899	24,029	1,870	7.2%	6.8%	6.6%
ROCKCASTLE	7,693	6,863	830	10.8%	10.2%	8.3%
WHITLEY	15,367	14,225	1,142	7.4%	6.6%	6.7%
LAKE CUMBERLAND	90,063	82,849	7,214	8.0%	7.8%	7.5%
ADAIR	8,747	8,113	634	7.2%	7.3%	6.8%
CASEY	7,037	6,425	612	8.7%	8.4%	7.3%
CLINTON	4,503	4,153	350	7.8%	8.5%	8.0%
CUMBERLAND	2,907	2,596	311	10.7%	11.5%	10.0%
GREEN	5,509	5,093	416	7.6%	7.0%	7.1%
MCCREARY	6,019	5,370	649	10.8%	9.8%	10.8%
PULASKI	26,573	24,545	2,028	7.6%	7.4%	7.0%
RUSSELL	7,779	7,095	684	8.8%	8.8%	8.2%
TAYLOR	12,259	11,474	785	6.4%	6.0%	5.8%
WAYNE	8,730	7,985	745	8.5%	8.1%	8.2%

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BLUEGRASS	368,763	346,578	22,185	6.0%	5.7%	5.7%
ANDERSON	10,458	9,809	649	6.2%	5.7%	5.2%
BOURBON	9,774	9,171	603	6.2%	5.8%	6.2%
BOYLE	12,592	11,564	1,028	8.2%	7.6%	7.6%
CLARK	17,125	15,885	1,240	7.2%	6.8%	6.6%
ESTILL	6,073	5,468	605	10.0%	9.1%	9.3%
FAYETTE	146,662	138,849	7,813	5.3%	4.9%	5.0%
FRANKLIN	24,953	23,545	1,408	5.6%	5.7%	5.4%
GARRARD	7,503	6,966	537	7.2%	6.6%	7.4%
HARRISON	8,714	8,105	609	7.0%	6.9%	7.0%
JESSAMINE	21,527	20,298	1,229	5.7%	5.3%	5.1%
LINCOLN	10,522	9,591	931	8.8%	8.5%	8.6%
MADISON	40,758	38,513	2,245	5.5%	5.3%	5.4%
MERCER	10,447	9,680	767	7.3%	7.4%	7.0%
NICHOLAS	2,901	2,630	271	9.3%	9.5%	11.5%
POWELL	5,519	4,971	548	9.9%	9.7%	10.1%
SCOTT	19,992	18,945	1,047	5.2%	5.3%	5.4%
WOODFORD	13,243	12,588	655	4.9%	4.5%	4.5%
BOWLING GREEN MSA	62,120	58,144	3,976	6.4%	5.7%	5.7%
ELIZABETHTOWN MSA	52,951	49,188	3,763	7.1%	6.6%	7.2%
LEXINGTON MSA	228,322	215,736	12,586	5.5%	5.2%	5.2%
LOUISVILLE MSA	611,026	570,406	40,620	6.6%	6.5%	6.6%
OWENSBORO MSA	55,403	51,278	4,125	7.4%	7.0%	7.0%